

#### Training sessions and workshops

#### **DC STARS Overview**

DC STARS Overview is a pre-requisite for all DC STARS classes and workshops.

#### Required to receive a DC STARS user login (except teachers)

**Description** An introduction to the application's basic functionality including navigation, querying student data, roles within DC STARS and password management.

Targeted Audience All DC STARS users

**Location** 825, 5th Floor Computer Lab

**Time** AM Sessions 9 AM to 12 PM PM Sessions 1 PM to 4 PM

#### **Student Information Manager**

**Description** Presents details of admitting, withdrawing and registering students.

Targeted Audience Registrars and Data Entry Personnel

Location 825, 5th Floor Computer Lab

**Time** AM Sessions 9 AM to 12 PM PM sessions 1 PM to 4 PM

#### DC STARS Open Workshop

**Description** Come get help on any topic of DC STARS: student schedules, attendance, mark entry, transcripts, enrollment, or topics you choose. There will not be a formal agenda or training for this workshop. This is your opportunity to ask questions requiring in-depth explanation or hands on help.

You must call the Workshop Hotline at (202) 724-2252 to reserve your space. If you do not reserve a space, you may be asked to come back on another date.

Target Audience All DC STARS users

**Location** 825 in the 5th Floor Computer Lab

**Time** 9 AM to 4 PM – <u>Please call to verify time and make your appointment</u>.

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#### **Elementary School Daily Attendance Training**

**Description** Elementary school personnel (grades PS-6) responsible for attendance are taught how to record daily attendance for an individual student, for a class and how to print a variety of attendance reports.

**Targeted Audience** Elementary School

**Location** 825, 5th Floor Computer Lab

**Time** AM Sessions 9 AM to 12 PM PM Sessions 1 PM to 4 PM

#### **Education Campus Point-of-Contact Period Attendance Training**

**Description** Education Campus personnel (PS-8) responsible for attendance are taught how to record period attendance for a class, for an individual student and how to print a variety of attendance reports. This designee is shown how teachers will input attendance into DC STARS and will be responsible for training/assisting teachers in the use of period attendance. Only the trained Point of Contact will be authorized to contact the DC STARS help desk for assistance.

**Targeted Audience** Education Campus Attendance Personnel

**Location** 825, 5th Floor Computer Lab

**Time** AM Sessions 9 AM to 12 PM PM Sessions 1 PM to 4 PM

#### Middle/High School Point-of-Contact Period Attendance Training

Description High/Middle School personnel responsible for attendance are taught how to record period attendance for a class, for an individual student and how to print a variety of attendance reports. This designee is shown how teachers will input attendance into DC STARS and will be responsible for training/assisting teachers in the use of period attendance. Only the trained Point of Contact will be authorized to contact the DC STARS help desk for assistance.

Targeted Audience High/Middle School Attendance Personnel

**Location** 825, 5th Floor Computer Lab

**Time** AM Sessions 9 AM to 12 PM PM Sessions 1 PM to 4 PM

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#### **New School Year Setup (NSY Setup)**

#### Mandatory for ALL schools

**Description** During this workshop each school will review and complete the school setup for SY2008/2009. Please check the SY Setup group pages at the end of the Training Calendar for your group with the date, time and location for your workshop. *It is critical that you ARRIVE ON TIME for this session as each step builds on the one before it and there is no time to catch up late comers.* 

Targeted Audience: Student Information Manager

**Location** - Ballou SHS

**Time** AM Sessions 9AM to 12 PM PM Sessions 1 PM to 4 PM

#### **Education Campus Point-of-Contact Mark Entry Training**

**Description** Education Campus personnel (PS-8) responsible for training/assisting teachers with mark entry, are taught how to record marks for a class, for an individual student and how to print a variety of mark reports. These designees are shown how teachers will input attendance into DC STARS and will be responsible for training/assisting teachers with mark entry. **Only the trained Point of Contact will be authorized to contact the DC STARS help desk for assistance.** 

**Targeted Audience** Two representatives from each school. An Assistant Principal is recommended.

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#### **Middle School Point-of-Contact Mark Entry Training**

**Description** Middle School personnel responsible for training/assisting teachers with mark entry are taught how to record marks for a class, for an individual student and how to print a variety of mark reports. These designees are shown how teachers will input attendance into DC STARS and will be responsible for training/assisting teachers with mark entry. Only the trained Point of Contact will be authorized to contact the DC STARS help desk for assistance.

**Targeted Audience** Two representatives from each school. An Assistant Principal is recommended.

**Location** 825, 5th Floor Computer Lab

**Time** AM Sessions 9 AM to 12 PM PM Sessions 1 PM to 4 PM

#### **High School Point-of-Contact Mark Entry Training**

**Description** High School personnel responsible for training/assisting teachers with mark entry are taught how to record marks for a class, for an individual student and how to print a variety of mark reports. These designees are shown how teachers will input attendance into DC STARS and will be responsible for training/assisting teachers with mark entry. Only the trained Point of Contact will be authorized to contact the DC STARS help desk for assistance.

**Targeted Audience** Two representatives from each school. An Assistant Principal is recommended.

**Location** 825, 5th Floor Computer Lab

**Time** AM Sessions 9 AM to 12 PM PM Sessions 1 PM to 4 PM

#### **Principals Workshop**

**Description** Learn how to quickly access DC STARS student information. Administrators will learn how to use DC STARS to ensure all appropriate data entry tasks are complete and compliant with DCPS mandates. Topics include inquiry of student records for marks, schedules, credit history, attendance history, printing various reports and extracting of student data. Learn how to use DC STARS as a tool to manage your school environment.

Targeted Audience Principals and Assistant Principals

**Location** - 825, 5<sup>th</sup> floor Computer Lab

**Time** AM Sessions 9 AM to 12 PM PM Sessions 1 PM to 4 PM

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DC STARS Training Calendar August 2008							
Location	Monday	Friday					
All Days	•	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	8/1		
825 5th floor					Lab Reserved		
All Days	8/4	8/5	8/6	8/7	8/8		
825 5th floor	NSY Setup Group P1 AM (Location -Ballou) NSY Setup Group P2 PM (Location -Ballou)	NSY Setup Group P3 AM (Location -Ballou) NSY Setup Group P4 PM (Location -Ballou)	NSY Setup Group P5 AM (Location -Ballou) NSY Setup Group P6 PM (Location -Ballou)	NSY Setup Group P7 AM (Location -Ballou) NSY Setup Group P8 PM (Location -Ballou)	STARS Overview AM (Location -Ballou)  Principals Workshop PM (Location -Ballou)		
All Days	8/11	8/12	8/13	8/14	8/15		
825 5th floor	NSY Setup Group C2 AM (Location -Ballou) NSY Setup Group C3	NSY Setup Group M1 AM (Location -Ballou) NSY Setup Group M2	STARS Overview AM (Location -Ballou)  Student Info Manager PM	NSY Setup Group S1 (Location -Ballou)  NSY Setup Group S2	NSY Setup Group S3 (Location -Ballou) NSY Setup		
	PM (Location -Ballou)	PM (Location -Ballou)	(Location -Ballou)	(Location -Ballou)	Group C1 (Location -Ballou)		
All Days	8/18	8/19	8/20	8/21	8/22		
825 5th floor	EC POC Period Attendance AM	MS/SHS POC Period Attendance AM	Daily Attendance AM	STARS Overview AM	STARS Overview AM		
023 341 11001	EC POC Period Attendance PM	MS/SHS POC Period Attendance PM	Daily Attendance PM	Student Info Manager PM	Principals Workshop PM		
All Days	8/25	8/26	8/27	8/28	8/29		
825 5th floor	First Day of School	Open Workshop Call 724-2252 for Reservations	Open Workshop Call 724-2252 for Reservations	Open Workshop Call 724-2252 for Reservations	Open Workshop Call 724-2252 for Reservations		

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DC STARS Training Calendar September 2008							
Location	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
All Days	9/1	9/2	9/3	9/4	9/5		
825 5th floor	Holiday	Daily Attendance AM	Open Workshop Call 724-2252 for		Open Workshop Call 724-2252 for		
		EC POC Period Attendance PM	Reservations	Student Info Manager PM	Reservations		
All Days	9/8	9/9	9/10	9/11	9/12		
825 5th floor	EC POC Mark Entry AM	Open Workshop Call 724-2252 for	STARS Overview AM	MS POC Mark Entry AM	SHS POC Mark Entry AM		
823 3th 1100r	EC POC Mark Entry PM	Reservations	Principals Workshop PM	HS/MS POC Period Attendance PM	SHS POC Mark Entry PM		
All Days	9/15	9/16	9/17	9/18	9/19		
825 5th floor	STARS Overview AM	Open Workshop		Principals Workshop AM	Open Workshop Call 724-2252 for		
	Student Info Manager PM	Call 724-2252 for Reservations		Open Workshop Call 724-2252 for Reservations	Reservations		
All Days	9/22	9/23	9/24	9/25	9/26		
825 5th floor	STARS Overview AM		Open Workshop Call 724-2252 for				
	Principals Workshop PM		Reservations				
All Days	9/29	9/30					
825 5th floor							

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### **Training Registration Form**

#### **Instructions:**

- 1. Fill in the information requested. PLEASE PRINT.
- 2. For each class that you would like to attend, refer to the **Training Course Descriptions** and **Training Calendar** for the current class schedule. The class schedule can be found on the DC STARS website in the **Training Center**.
- 3. Fax your completed registration request to the training coordinator. Fax #: 202-442-5728

#### **Training Participant:**

First Name:	MI:	Last Na	ame:					
School Name:			School Code:					
DCPS Email:			Phone Number:					
Position at School	ol:							
I am a new user	and will need a DC STARS login	ı ID.		Yes	No			
(If yes, contact the DC STARS Help Desk at 202-442-5725 to request <i>DC STARS Overview</i> training.)								

#### **Class Requests:**

The training coordinator will attempt to enroll you in your first choice. However, since registration requests will be processed on a first-come, first-serve basis, we ask that you supply us with alternate(s) to attend if your first choice is full.

Course Name			First Choice		Second Choice		Third Choice	
Example:	Date	AM/PM	4/07	AM	4/07	PM	3/3	AM
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